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Van Buren was the next enrolled.
Harrison died and left years four
For Tyler; Polk the burden bore;
Zach Taylor died in years scarce two,
And Fillmore filled the balance due.
The next for a full term was Pierce;
Buchanan had an equal chance to verse.
Abraham Lincoln, first Republican,
Was shot as his second term began,
And Johnson ruled until came Grant,
Who had two terms, Hayes one and Grant;
Four months had Garfield who was killed,
And Arthur then the office filled.

EXCHANGE SCINTILLATIONS

The Cincinnati Penny Post asserts
that "the election of the last United
States Senator from Ohio was a C. O.
D. (coal oil Democrat) transaction."

His Matie was a pretty girl,
As fair as one could be,
And every time he made a call
He had a Matie on his knee.
—Elizabethtown News.

Miss Belle Snow is said to be the
handsomest young lady in Kansas
City. The beaux of that town call
her "The Beautiful Snow."—Breck-
enridge News.

"Pieces of him have," exclaimed
the boy, indulging in a fresh out-
burst of tears, "and I'm expecting
the rest every minute."—St. Joseph
(Mo.) News.

Fashion decrees that "Gentlemen's
coat-leaves must have no waste in
them," but fashion goes to the dem-
onstration bow-wow when a young
man calls on his girl.—Glasgow
Times.

A man named Powers lately eloped
from Utica, N. Y., with another
man's wife and sister. "No pent-up
Utica contracts our Powers," must
be the motto of the women.—Breck-
enridge News.

The Kentucky Legislature has
passed an act taxing male dog 50
cents and their mothers and sisters \$1
each. Why this discrimination in
favor of the male dogs? Are they
Colonels?—State Journal.

Less than a year ago, down in Mis-
sissippi, Archibald Cane was mar-
ried to Miss Emily Patch. One day
last week his wife presented him
with three sons at a birth. She is a
prolific Cane Patch.—Breckenridge
News.

In some parts of the country it is
customary for the man who applies
for marriage license to give the clerk
\$5 extra as a sort of complimentary
fee. Clerk Adams knows this from
here, say, and not from actual expe-
rience.—Madisonville Times.

We see from the Personal Column
of the Frankfort Yeoman, that "Gen-
eral Williams was on the floor of
both houses Saturday." It strikes us
that is where he should have been;
he certainly had no business on the
walls or ceiling.—Madisonville
Times.

A man was found frozen to death
in Chicago with a whisky bottle in
his pocket. What we don't under-
stand is, how a man can freeze after
he has been drinking Chicago whis-
ky. One dram usually makes a man
wish to have the hose turned on him.
—Louisville Post.

"What are you crying about asked
a kind hearted stranger of a lad who
was standing in front of a newspaper
office weeping as if his heart would
break.
"Oh, dad's gone up stairs to lick
the editor."
"Well has he come down yet?"
pursued the good Samaritan.

Wheeler was hung in California
yesterday for the murder of a young
girl whom he playfully decoyed into
sitting on his knee, then quietly chok-
ing her to death. He had three
trials, but was sentenced to death
each time. Not one of the thirty-six
jurors could find an excuse for chok-
ing a pretty girl when she was sit-
ting on a man's lap.—Louisville Post.

Probably the longest lovers quar-
rel on record came to an end the oth-
er day in Branford, Conn., when
Miss Jennie Dugan and James O.
Smith were married. They quar-
reled in 1825, and did not meet again
for fifty-eight years. The groom is
eighty and the bride is seventy-seven.
However, fifty-nine years of peace
are well worth one little quarrel.—
This and That.

What is called "newspaper geogra-
phy" is said to have been introduced
in some of the schools of New Haven,
Conn. The pupils are required to
trace out on the map the places re-
ferred to in the columns of the morn-
ing newspaper. They appear to take
much interest in this new method of
studying geography. It might prove
valuable if supplied with inter-
esting information from the teach-
er.

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Travels and Adventures of a Well
Known Character.

Urbana (Ill.) Gazette: John Smith
is visiting relatives in New York.

Aurora (Ill.) News: John Smith
slaughtered another beef yesterday.

Albion (Ind.) Democrat: John
Smith, of Ligonier, was in town last
Saturday.

Kankakee (Ill.) Gazette: John
Smith was quartered at the Hotel last
Sunday.

Macomb (Ill.) By-stander: John
Smith takes Ot Williams' place on
the night police force.

Rockford (Ill.) Gazette: Captain
Smith is in the city preparing to
remove here soon.

Troy (Kansas) Advocate: Elder J.
Smith has been conducting a fruitful
revival in our midst.

Fayetteville (Ark.) Gazette: The
execution of John Smith will occur
at Little Rock next Friday.

Roodhouse (Ill.) Eye. Johnnie
Smith, who is sick at Barrow with
typhoid fever, is still very low.

Pacific (Mo.) Herald—Mr. John
Smith was in town Sunday and
spent the day with his parents.

Rockville (Ind.) Tribune—John
Smith is moving the old lively sta-
ble to the east side of the railroad.

Ord (Iowa) Quizz—Uncle John
Smith places us under obligations for
a number of fine squashes.

Dunbar (N. H.) Snowflake—
The Rev. John Smith, who has quite
an ill turn of late, is much better.

Rock Island (Ill.) Union—Judge
John Smith will render his decision
in the Hunnewell and Hill case to-
day.

Montezuma (Ia.) Democrat—Our
thanks are due John Smith for a bar-
rel of fine red apples. Come again,
John.

Jackson (Tex.) Rural District—
John Smith, our pastor in 1882, has
gone to Minnesota in quest of a loca-
tion.

Chilton (Wis.) Times—John Smith
got full of cheap whisky last Sunday
night, and is now languishing in du-
rance vile.

Bloomington (Ill.) Leader—John
Smith, formerly a C. & A. passenger
conductor, is now on the Milwaukee
& St. Paul.

Decatur (Ill.) Herald—John Smith
is building a two-story dwelling on
Main street. The dimensions are
twenty-eight by sixteen.

Tabor (Ia.) Non-Conformist—Our
worthy neighbor, John Smith, was
honored with the largest majority on
the ticket.

Aledo (Ill.) Record—John Smith,
of Viola, dropped in on us last week.
He was up to meet his sister, Hen-
rietta, from a visit to Pennsylvania.

The New Siamese Twins.

The brothers Tocci, born in Turin
in 1877, are considered to be even
more curious than the famous Siamese
twins.

They have two well formed heads,
two pairs of arms and two thoraxes,
with all internal organs; but at the
level of the sixth rib they coalesce
into one body.

They have only one abdomen, one
anus, one right and one left leg.
Their genital organs consist of a pe-

nis and scrotum, and at the back
there is a rudimentary male genital
organ, from which urine sometimes
escapes.

It is a curious fact that the right
leg moves only under the control of
the right twin (named Baptiste),
while the other is movable only by
the left twin (named Jacob.)

As a result, they are unable to
walk. This left foot is d-form, and
is an example of talipes equinus.

Each infant has a distinct moral
personality; one cries while the other
is laughing, one is awake while
the other sleeps. When one is sit-
ting up, the other is in a position al-
most horizontal.—Press Medicale
Belge.

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must not be exceeded.

An Editor Interviewed.

[Merchant Traveler.]

"See here, Mr. Editor," said an
irate woman, coming into the sanc-
tuary and leaving the door open, "see
here, what's this in your mean little
newspaper?"

"Really madam, there is so much
in it, considering it's only \$2 per
year, in advance, with liberal reduc-
tion to clubs, that I cannot at the
first blush tell you what it is."

"Well, don't talk your jaw off, but
tell me what you mean by this refer-
ence to my late husband?"

"Ah, madame, the good kind soul
who died only yesterday?"

"The same one; you didn't think I
was planting one after each meal, did
you?"

"Hardly that, madam, but what do
you refer to?"

"Why sir, the passage in the obituary
where you say 'he was consigned to a
roasting place with his fathers.'"

"Ahem, madam, ahem; let me see,"
and the editor grabbed the paper and
gazed intently at the words. "I beg
your pardon, madam; it should have
been a 'resting place; and if you will
come down to the office this after-
noon you can have the scalp of any
infernal compositor in the office, and
I will tear it off for you. We can
stand some things, but that style is
too harrowing on the feelings of a
good paying subscriber like yourself."

She was pacified and got the scalp.

Information in Regard to the La- bor and Expense of Running a Country Newspaper.

There are many—perhaps a large
majority of persons—having had no
experience in the newspaper business
who labor under the impression
that there is but little labor and ex-
pense attached to the publication of a
newspaper—that when one issue of
the paper is published, that there is
nothing to do until the next publica-
tion day.

Kind reader, when we tell you that
it takes from four to five hands about
seven days in the week and several
nights thrown in, to publish the aver-
age country weekly newspaper, you
can form some idea of the labor, and
when we inform you that the cost of
publishing the average country weekly
newspaper, not counting anything
for the wear and tear of type, ma-
chines, presses, ink, coal oil, machine
oil, lye, soap, fuel, office rent, postage,
&c., is from \$50. to \$65. per week cash
you can begin to realize something of
the expense.

We presume that a want of the
knowledge of the above facts, is the
great reason that so many persons
complain at the subscription price of
the country newspaper, and think it
too high.

We sometimes think that if those
who are inclined to complain at the
subscription price of the Herald,
were to stay in our office one week
and see the amount of labor and ex-
pense it takes to get out an issue of
the Herald, they would willingly
pay \$1.50 for the paper and think they
had gotten at least fifty cents the
best of the bargain.

There is no avocation in life that
has as much labor—mentally and
physically—exhaustion, perplexities,
&c., as journalism, yet, with all this,
it has an attraction that causes men
to engage in its pursuits.—Hartford
Herald.

Husbands who stay out till mid-
night "attending lodge" should hasten
to inform their wives that a Mississipp
widow has just received \$12,000 from
the lodges of which her husband was
a member.—Breckenridge News.

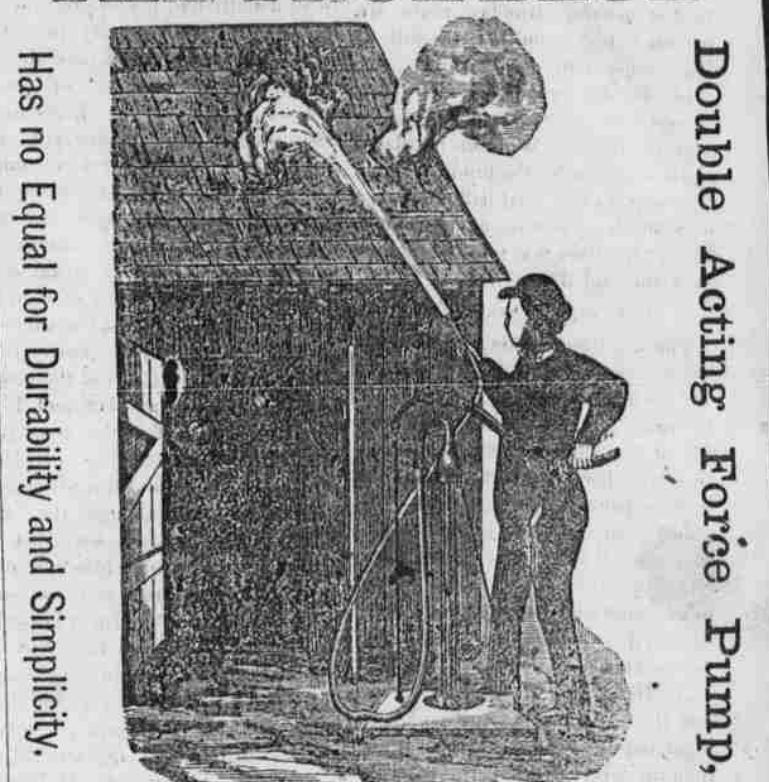
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The moonlight stole through Venetian
blinds and illuminated the brow of
the fair Cincinnati, as Alfred Dela-
mayne, of Cleveland, stooped and
pressed his lips upon it, saying: "Your
love for me will be as eternal as the
light of the stars?" "Yes, Al," she im-
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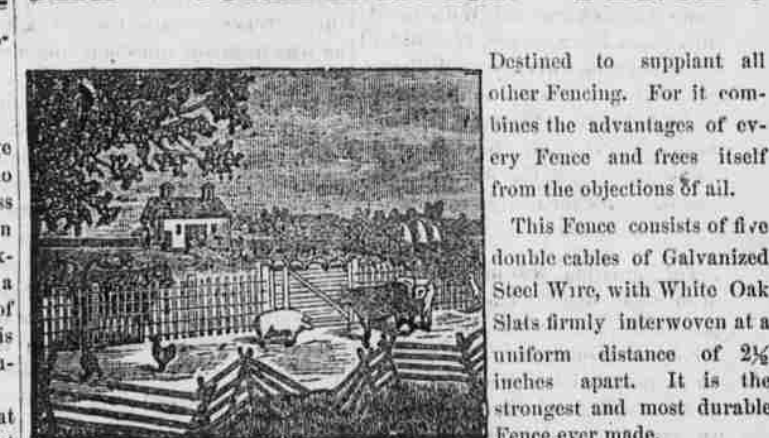


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